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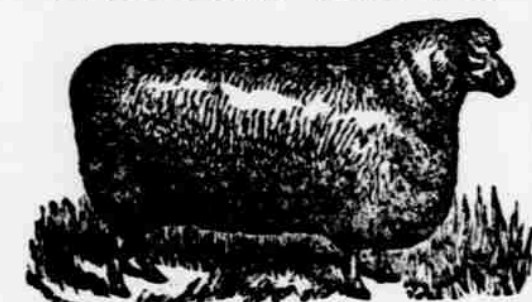
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A Letter From Bellevue.

The voice of the threshing machine is heard in our land, and it is not the thump of the flail as in my boyhood's days; neither do people tramp out grain now with horses, oxen, or mules, in Bellevue.

As I write, two steam threshers are within hearing. In regard to the operations of Mr. Faling I know nothing; I have not seen his thresher work; but yesterday I had an introduction to the outfit of Messrs. Bogue and Jemison, and the consequence was a day of solid work. The separator is a Minnesota Chief, and the engine a Buffalo Pitts. The work was done for the McKinney Bros., and excelled anything that I have ever seen. The work was well done in every particular.

I am satisfied that in good wheat, say three acres to the hundred bushels, Messrs. Bogue and Jemison can handle well one thousand bushels of wheat in ten hours' running time. Whilst they and their employees are gentlemen, they are energetic working men, and whoever comes about them must work. I have rarely seen so pleasant a crowd.

We did not have a very early start, and rested one hour and a half at noon, and at sunset had 488 bushels of wheat and 350 bushels of oats. In handling the wheat we had a vast amount of straw; but the oats went through three bushels per minute.

As it is well for a man not to tell all he knows, so it is well for an engine to have some reserve power to meet emergencies. It is not clear to me that the engine of Messrs. Bogue and Jemison can run their separator to its full capacity and hang to it.

But in mentioning the events of the day, we must not overlook the administration of the Secretary of the Interior Department, Mrs. Dr. McKinney, who was assisted by her daughters and Mrs. John McKinney. It is customary on such occasions to talk of the tables as groaning; but tables, like people, may become rheumatic and ramshackle, and groan at trifles. But Mrs. McKinney's tables stand up without flinching as the exponents of genuine overflowing Southern hospitality. In richness, variety, abundance and high culinary skill the most exacting could desire nothing beyond it. The well deserved reputation of Bellevue for hospitality was nobly sustained.

The small threshing machines known as schoolmarmers are abroad in the land. On last Sabbath I saw Mr. H. C. Twomey at Smyrna at church.

During last week Rev. Smith, aided by Dr. Wilson, held religious services at Smyrna. The result wasn't encouraging.

Last week Mr. Robt. Logan died at Caledonia of dysentery. I do not know that I ever saw him, but the fact that he was a brother of the late Judge Logan, of Ironton, is for me an ample guarantee that he was in every essential particular a first-class man, whose death is a public calamity.

So far as known to me, there is no severe sickness in our neighborhood; but there is a continual tendency to chills, which shows that the enemy is feeling the outposts, and demands very great care.

By the earnest invitation of a number of my friends around Belgrade, I expect to spend next Saturday and Sabbath among them; and I am not without a hope that I will have the pleasure of seeing another very highly esteemed friend who lives on this side of Belgrade.

The Teachers' Institute at Pilot Knob was a strong body of good workers. I presume the Arcadia Valley Teachers' Association will now remove to Pilot Knob. It should do so at once. T. C.

The Two Sets.

"There are," says a letter from that watering place, "two distinct social sets at Newport, which are led respectively by the Astors and the Vanderbilts. The Astor set represent the landed gentry; it is solidly American and doesn't care a trade dollar for insignia and flummery. The Vanderbilt coterie has pushed the President's English almost to the point of dropping the h's. It never rides, it 'drives.' It always goes up to town, don't you know. It wears 'top-coats,' and the women have given up dresses for 'gowns.' It has got to calling baggage 'traps,' and pretends to like foggy weather. It has also got the English superciliousness down very fine; the blank, dull stare vacancy is worked admirably; it shows epochs of character, and it affects a slight contempt for everything American that commands something like awe."

The Wilson Creek Reunion.

The celebration of the Battle of Wilson Creek, near Springfield, Mo., last week, was a grand success. There were between 800 and 1,000 veterans present at the reunion, and about ten times as many visitors. As nearly as possible the veterans were quartered by companies, regiments and States. The camp had about 160 large wall tents, and was in a fine grassy plain about half a mile south of the Springfield Court House. It is said to have been interesting to hear the groups of veterans fighting their battles over again. Though the badges worn by the Federals and Confederates were alike, the Southerner was readily distinguished by "I allew" or "I reckon" and similar localisms. The slender but muscular Texas ranger, with his long hair down to the shoulder, contrasted strangely with the robust and close-cropped Northerner. The rations issued out to the veterans in camp consisted of good black coffee, sowbely and hard-tack, besides soft bread, potatoes and pickles. There were no forks or knives, but there was no grumbling, and the boys made out pretty well with their fingers. The best feeling prevailed between the Blue and the Gray.

It is said one striking feature of the reunion was to see how the veterans have been promoted. Men known as privates twenty-two years ago came back as Colonels, Generals, Congressmen, members of Legislatures and as well paid office-holders.

An Enterprising Lieutenant.

A Washington correspondent tells this of the champion pay duplicator: Lieut. Jas. W. Pinder, of the Eighth Cavalry, applied for 'six months' leave of absence, and at the same time tendered his resignation from the service, to take effect upon the expiration of his leave. The leave of absence was granted him, and he started West to visit friends at certain military posts. Becoming short of funds, he had his pay accounts for the entire six months cashed by brokers at different military posts. Thus, by distributing them around, he duplicated his accounts over and over again without detection. It was not discovered at the Department that he had been duplicating his accounts until about a month before his resignation was to take effect. Of course his pay for the last month he was in service was withheld, but he had already drawn the amount of his six months' pay several times. Instead of ordering a court martial and honorably discharging him from the army, the Department decided that it would be just as well to let Mr. Pinder slide out of the service with no further ado.

A Bashful Bridegroom.

There is a young man near Sumter, Ga., who was to be married on a certain night. He had seen and loved the girl and was too bashful to do the courting, so it had to be done by proxy. The day had arrived, the guests assembled, the license procured, the parson on hand, and the bride ready, but the youthful groom did not turn up. The friend who had done the courting went out, and after looking around, found him sitting or lying in a horse trough. On asking him why he did not come to the house to be married, he said: "Oh, I can't go that stand before them folks." "Oh yes you can; everybody in there is married but your girl. Come on." "Get her to come out doors, and we'll marry under the shed, but let the old folks stay in the house." The friend went back, got the girl and parson out without exciting suspicion, and they were married. The company waited two or three hours, and, on being invited to supper, were introduced to the bride and groom. They became so indignant that all left without partaking of the supper.

A Bridal Couple in Contrasted Colors and Sizes.

A decided sensation was caused at Alton, Illinois, on the 8th inst. when a small, fair German appeared in the street supporting on his arm a negress of large dimensions. The man was Adam Ricker; the woman was Mrs. Adam Ricker, nee Lucy Stone. They had just been married. The bride is several years older than the groom, and is a fine specimen of negro womanhood, being of a pure tar shade and tilting the beam at 200 pounds or over. She has been a resident of Upper Alton for several years. Ricker is small, fair, light haired and blue-eyed, and is possessed of considerable wealth. The happy miscegenationists have gone to housekeeping at Ricker's residence in the lower part of Alton.

The Spartan Way.

He was driving out on Plainfield the other day with such a satisfied look on his face that a correspondent of the Wall Street Daily News hailed him with:

"Well, Uncle Billy, what's happened?"

"You know them five sons of mine?"

"Oh, yes."

"Well, they are allus buyin' an' sellin' an' speculatin' and not a day passes that some one of 'em don't ask me to indorse his note."

"And of course you do?"

"No. Them boys are rather shaky, you know; but I'm going to after this. Hang it, I'm their own father, you see, and it looks kinder mean to refuse 'em. I've been down here and deeded the farm to the old woman, put a chattel mortgage on the stock, and sold off most of the tools, and now if the boys want my name on their notes I can sit down and give it to 'em like a Spartan father."

Honeymoon and Divorce.

Six weeks of honeymoon were more than enough to satisfy the matrimonial yearnings of Frank Bangs, the actor, and Mrs. Alice Singer Lagrove, one of the twenty-nine daughters of the much married sewing machine manufacturer. Mrs. Lagrove was ambitious to be an actress, but after being married by Henry Ward Beecher and spending a lot of money upon a tour of costly wedding receptions, she concluded that Bangs was not her affinity. Proceedings for a divorce and the recovery of \$7,000 said to have been advanced to Bangs before the marriage, are now on foot. Mrs. Bangs was jealous.

How Cable Messages are Received.

An old operator thus tells how cable messages are received: "I don't suppose you know how the messages are received over the cables? No. Well it is altogether different from this tick, tick, tick. The operators there sit in dark rooms. The messages come as little electric sparks; the letters are known by the length of the flash. These men go blind at the end of fifteen years and are pensioned in England, but nothing is done for them here. They are not even paid any better than we are."

ARCADIA, MO., Aug. 3d, 1883.

Mr. Editor,—THE REGISTER, as you know yourself, is a good paper; but as there are two sides to every question, so are there two sides to the REGISTER.

There are two sides to the question so dogmatically settled by the late Bellevue correspondent of yours—as to whether the "Spirit of God" (or the gaseous effluvia of a foolish man) had deserted our Valley.

There are two sides to the question of the cause of long life, as taken from the Chicago Times, on the inside of your paper.

And talking of the inside of your paper: Why does it not quite agree in tone with the 'outside'? Why is it much more Democratic, and of the true stripe for the people—the people—the Whole of The People?

Now, I am not yet prepared to give you my lecture on influences; but I beg of a hard-working, honest man, as you are, a show of the convictions and courage, which you possess, that the compensation in salary for a people's President should be the average earning of any other hard-worked honest man—not more nor less than any other citizen.

"MORE ANON."

Secretary Chandler and Assistant Postmaster-General Hutton have foreclosed a \$37,000 mortgage on the stock of the National Republican, Washington. Brady and his friends, it is said, will give the two supreme control.

Maj. E. A. Burke, State Treasurer of Louisiana, and owner of the New Orleans Times-Democrat, has been selected as Director-General of the prospective World's Industrial and Cotton Centennial Exposition, to be held in New Orleans next year.

The Washington Post says that some of the iron men of Pennsylvania who profess to be unable to pay fair wages to their employes have found thousands of dollars to put into the hands of William Mahone, to be used in his effort to preserve the solidity of the colored vote in Virginia.

The "fades," who have displaced the "dudes" at Long Branch, wear silver-gray frock coats, silver-gray tight-fitting pantaloons, patent-leather gaiters, broad-brimmed hats, fashioned after the expansive sombrero, and very high collars. It is said of them that they hope to elude the pangs of death and gradually fade with the sunlight.